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Subject: Fw: Superfund Site Inquires
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Carlos, today I received an inquiry from Bob Meyers at HQ concerning Falcon Refinery. He wanted some information concerning Superfund Alternative Sites and he also had a question about tank wastes which removal is handling through an AOC. I told him I would get back to him and he informed me that he would send an e-mail outlining the type of information he needed. I also called Paulette Johnsey (EA), and got voice mail, to let her know about the inquiry.

I have a doctor's appointment tomorrow morning at 11:00 am. Give me a call on my cell phone listed below to discuss.

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Assigned Sites for Investigation and Remediation
(<http://www.epa.gov/earth1r6/6sf/6sf-tx.htm>):
Brine Service Company Superfund Site (Corpus Christi, Texas)
Falcon Refinery Superfund Site (Ingleside, Texas)
Many Diversified Interests, Inc. Superfund Site (Houston, Texas)

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Confirmation hearing for the new administration will start next. During the confirmation process, we will be asked a lot of questions about our sites from lots of people. If you get a call from someone from HQ or a Congressional staffer or someone like that asking for information about one of your sites, don't answer right away, no matter how trivial the question seems. Tell the individual that you will research the answer and get back to him or her. Then call David Gray or Paulette Johnsey and let External Affairs know that we got a request for information. Then tell your section chief or Charles or me.

There are a couple reasons for this procedure. First, the questions that we get in the Region will not likely have a context to them. External Affairs will have a better sense of the true purpose of the question for the confirmation hearings. Second, we need to make sure the answer we give for a specific question is the same every time we answer it. Our answers also have to be the same as what we have in our six page fact sheets on the Web and what we have in CERCLIS. Taking the time to alert Ext. Affairs and our managers will help us make sure our message is consistent.

Please take some time in the next couple weeks to make sure that CERCLIS (dollars and dates) is as accurate as possible and take some time to read your six page web fact sheets and update them to make sense.

Thanks,

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